

PUBLIC ACCOUNTS, 1914-1915.

STATEMENT of the UNAUTHORIZED EXPENDITURE—continued.

Consolidated Fund—continued.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
FOR SERVICES NOT PROVIDED FOR—continued.									
Brought forward	890	12	0	95,421	13	9			
<i>Department of Internal Affairs—continued.</i>									
Cost of work done by the Public Works Department in connection with the Defence Department's Court at Auckland Exhibition	222	2	10						
Difference between ordinary and special railway fares for members of Expeditionary Forces at Trentham	624	2	0						
Freight, &c., on gifts for Belgians	456	7	2						
Grant to Cook County Women's Guild for children's crèche	100	0	0						
Increase to salary of £25 per annum to F. Andrews, Secretary to Cabinet, from 1st April to 31st December, 1914 (£625)	18	15	0						
Payment to M. Myers, solicitor, Wellington, in respect of work done in connection with the West Coast Settlement Reserves Amendment Act, 1913, and Regulations thereunder	273	0	0						
Payment of war-risk-insurance premiums on provisional declarations made on goods ordered for shipment on various vessels in accordance with the Imperial Government's reinsurance scheme	3,249	19	0						
Refund of amount to Cook Hospital Board, deducted from subsidy paid them, being amount granted by Board to Tologa Bay Medical Society, without the consent of the Minister first having been obtained, disallowed by Audit Office	75	0	0						
Remuneration to H. W. Williams, Gisborne, at the rate of £500 per annum for services in connection with the compilation of Maori Dictionary, from 1st February to 31st March, 1915	83	6	8						
Salary of Mr. C. E. Adams, Government Astronomer, for period 1st April to 31st December, 1915, leave of absence granted in order that he may take up the Martin Kellog Fellowship at the Lick Observatory	375	0	0						
Subsidy on contributions from the Onehunga and Auckland ladies' benevolent societies	216	3	6	6,584	8	2			
<i>Defence Department:—</i>									
Allowances and expenses of the Board appointed to investigate the outstanding claims for the New Zealand War Medal	68	1	6						
Special allowances to officers and non-commissioned officers temporarily employed on the New Zealand Staff Corps and Permanent Staff to replace officers who are absent with the Expeditionary Force	3,044	3	1	3,112	4	7			
<i>Customs, Marine and Harbours, and Inspection of Machinery Departments:—</i>									
Contribution of £500 a year towards maintenance of wireless station at Macquarie Island from 1st July to 31st December, 1914	250	0	0						
Expenses in connection with bringing J. A. McKinnon from England to answer charges of fraud against the Customs Department	150	17	7						
Expenses D. C. Bates, Director of the Meteorological Office, visiting Australia in connection with the use of wireless in meteorological work	30	9	0						
Refund of duty paid on wheat and flour imported or cleared for home consumption on and after 21st October, 1914, up to and including 28th February, 1915	612	0	0						
Refund of wages due to T. Barratt, fireman, s.s. "Putiki," forfeited and paid Public Account in error	1	12	9						
Refund of wages due to S. Resenius, of s.s. "Monowai," forfeited and paid Public Account in error, he having been wrongly written off the vessel's articles as a deserter	4	12	4						
Remission of duty on Christmas and New Year presents sent by members of the New Zealand Expeditionary Force	191	13	2						
Subsidy towards trip of s.s. "Defender" to Karamea with stores for settlers	40	0	0	1,281	4	10			
<i>Department of Labour:—</i>									
Expenses of witnesses, &c., attending before the Commission appointed under the Regulation of Trade and Commerce Act to deal with the suspension of labour laws, awards, &c.				3	3	0			
<i>Department of Lands and Survey:—</i>									
Expenses and remuneration of members of the Hauraki Land, Mining, and Timber Commission	674	13	0						
Expenses in connection with the Valuation of Land Commission	844	16	2	1,519	9	2			
Carried forward				107,922	3	6			